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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

HEARTS ON FIRE COMPANY, LLC,

Plaintiff,

CIVIL ACTION NO. 04-12258-JLT

v.

MAGISTRATE JUDGE ROBERT B. COLLINGS

EIGHTSTAR DIAMOND COMPANY,

Defendant.

AFFIDAVIT OF VALERIE du LANEY

Valerie du Laney, upon oath, deposes and says as follows:

- 1. I am an attorney licensed to practice law in Washington. I am a lawyer with the law firm of Miller Nash LLP in Seattle, Washington. I submit this affidavit in support of a Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* in the above captioned action on behalf of Defendant Eightstar Diamond Company.
- 2. I am intimately familiar with the facts and circumstances underlying the captioned action and my admission *Pro Hac Vice* will facilitate the just and speedy resolution of this action.
- I am a member of the bar of the United States District Court; for the Western District of Washington.
- 4. I am a member in good standing in all jurisdictions where I have been admitted to practice.

- 5. There are no disciplinary proceedings pending against me in any jurisdiction.
- 6. I have reviewed and am familiar with the Local Rules of the United States District court for the District of Massachusetts.

Signed under the pains and penalties of perjury this 2d day of December, 2004.

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/s/ Valerie du Laney Valerie du Laney

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